PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Bible is the most widely published book in the history of the world, appearing in more than a thousand tongues and owned by millions of people, and

WHEREAS, the Bible has provided man with a unique tie between the present and the ancient past, and

WHEREAS, the Bible contains inspirational messages applicable to the problems of today as well as yesterday and lessons for people of all ages, races and creeds, and

WHEREAS, the Bible is the primary source of mankind's most cherished hopes and ideals,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, FRANK L. FARRAR, Governor of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of November 23 through 30, 1969, as:

BIBLE WEEK

launching Worldwide Bible Reading from Thanksgiving to Christmas, 1969, in South Dakota, and urge all men, women and children of all faiths to observe the week by reading the Scriptures in a search for their real meaning and applications to the problems and possibilities, the sorrows and joys of today and the hope for a better tomorrow.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this 19th day of September in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-nine.

Frank L. Farrar

FRANK L. FARRAR, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Alma Larson

ALMA LARSON, SECRETARY OF STATE

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